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11. (SBU) On November 25, we delivered the points detailed in reftel on the U.S. posture towards the Iranian nuclear program to Levan Nizharadze of the Americas division in MFA. We also noted that this information would likely be the first step as we continued to work with our international partners on the Iranian nuclear issue, and that we would greatly appreciate the support of Georgia now and in the future on this issue. Nizharadze expressed his appreciation for the details, stated that he would immediately brief the relevant offices on the information provided, and promised to be in contact with us should any follow up questions arise as they compose their report for senior MFA officials.

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